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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Please extend by two (2) months the time in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed November 24, 2006, to which a three month period for reply was set. Hence, an extension is courteously requested from February 24, 2007 to April 24, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 08-2336. For this reason, this Petition is submitted in duplicate. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-2336.

Respectfully submitted,

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